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## **Baucus Schedules Hearing on Retirement Security**

Hearing: Retirement Security: Picking up the Enron Pieces Date/Time: Wednesday, February 27, 2002, at 2:00 p.m.

Location: 215 Dirksen Senate Office Building

## **Witness List**

David M. Walker, Comptroller General, General Accounting Office, Washington, DC;

William F. Sweetnam, Jr., Benefits Tax Counsel, Department of Treasury, Washington, DC;

Steven A. Kandarian, Executive Director, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, Washington, DC;

Jack L. VanDerhei, Ph.D., Temple University, Philadelphia, PA and Research Director, Employee Benefit Research Institute, Washington, DC; and

R. Bradford Huss, Esq., Trucker Huss, San Francisco, CA.

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Written Statements: Any individuals or organizations wanting to present their views on these hearings to the Committee are urged to submit a typewritten, single-spaced, single-sided statement, not exceeding 10 pages in length, for inclusion in the hearing record. The date and subject of the hearing must appear on the first page of the statement. Three copies of the statement should be mailed to the Editorial Section, United States Senate, Committee on Finance, Washington, D.C. 20510. Two copies should be mailed to Kolan Davis, Minority Staff Director, United States Senate, Committee on Finance, 219 Dirksen Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20510. Statements must be received no later than noon on Wednesday, March 13, 2002. Written statements must also be submitted on diskette in a format that can be read by personal computers (Wordperfect text is preferred; other formats will be accepted -- please identify format).